

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Andhra Pradesh State Judicial Service – Junior Civil Judges – Sri G.Surya Prakash Rao, formerly Principal Junior Civil Judge, Bobbili, Vizianagaram District, the then Special Judicial Magistrate of First Class (Prohibition & Excise), Khammam, now under suspension – Imposition of penalty of dismissal from service against the officer on the recommendation of High Court of Andhra Pradesh – Orders – Issued.

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LAW (LA&J-HOME-COURTS-C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 94

Dated:14-08-2012,
Read:

From the Registrar (Vigilance), Andhra Pradesh High Court,
Hyderabad, D.O.Lr.No.629/2008- VIGILANCE CELL, dt:25-02-2012.

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O R D E R :

Whereas in the letter read above, the Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of Andhra Pradesh, has stated that the High Court having considered the report of the Principal District Judge, Vizianagaram, together with the complaint petition of Ms.Harathi and two DVDs, alleging that Sri G.Surya Prakash Rao, Principal Junior Civil Judge, Bobbili, Vizianagarm District, deceived and cheated her, the remarks of the officer and the report of the Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, initiated disciplinary proceedings against the officer, besides placing him under suspension in public interest. Consequently two articles of charges were framed and communicated to the officer, calling for his written statement. The articles of Charges framed against the officer are as follows:

Articles of Charge :

Charge No.1:

That you Sri G.Surya Prakash Rao, Junior Civil Judge, now under suspension, while working as Principal Junior Civil Judge, Bobbili, Vizianagaram District, used to meet, Ms.Harathi, with a promise to marry her and maintained relation with her for a considerable period and tied pasupu kommu (turmeric root) on 04-11-2007 at your friend's house, Railway Quarters, Visakhapatnam, as Ms.Harathi pressurizing you to marry her and later at the residence of your niece Ms.Priya and in the presence of the mother and brother of Ms.Harathi and your friends viz., Eerugula Rama Rao and Achanta Surendra, tied Tali to Ms.Harathi as if you married her and accepted her as your wife, but contrary to this you got fixed your marriage with Ms.Sowjanya on 30-04-2008 at 9.00 a.m. in your residence at Pithapuram, East Godavari District; that thus you cheated and deceived Ms.Harathi and had sexual intercourse with her (which is videographed) but you made arrangements for marrying another woman; thus your act, if proved or established would amount to grave misconduct and unbecoming of judicial officer within the meaning Rule -3 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964;

Charge No.2:

That you Sri G.Surya Prakash Rao, Junior Civil Judge, now under suspension while working as Principal Junior Civil Judge, Bobbili, Vizianagaram District developed intimacy with Ms.M.Harathi, a distant relative of yours and had sexual intercourse with her on several occasions and she herself submitted to you under the impression that you marry her, but ultimately after satisfying your lust, you deserted her; that instead of maintaining decency and decorum as Judicial Officer in your private life, you denied the relationship with her, which act of yours, if proved or established, would amount to grave misconduct, and unbecoming of a Judicial Officer within the meaning of Rule-3 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964;

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2. And whereas, on considering the written statement of the Officer, a regular departmental enquiry has been ordered against the officer by entrusting the enquiry to the District Judge (Enquiries), High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, to conduct the enquiry in to the charges framed against the officer. The District Judge (Enquiries) after conducting the enquiry, submitted his report;

3. And whereas, after perusing the written submissions, and additional written submission submitted by the charged officer on supplying the enquiry report to him final show cause notice has been issued to the charged officer and he has submitted his explanation.

4. And whereas, keeping in view of the gravity of the charges held proved against the charged officer in the enquiry report, the High Court of Andhra Pradesh resolved to recommend to His Excellency the Governor to impose a penalty of "dismissal" from service against Sri G.Surya Prakash Rao, formerly Principal Junior Civil Judge, Bobbili, Vizianagaram District, now under suspension; and accordingly the Registrar (Vigilance), requested the Government to cause issuance of necessary orders in the matter.

5. Now therefore, the Government after careful examination of the material and considering the recommendation of the High Court of Andhra Pradesh and in exercise of the powers conferred by rule 9 read with sub-rule (1) of rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules 1991, hereby decided to impose the penalty of "Dismissal from Service" on Sri G.Surya Prakash Rao, formerly Principal Junior Civil Judge, Bobbili, Vizianagaram District, now under suspension;

6. Accordingly, the following notification shall be published in an Extraordinary Issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under clause (x) of rule 9 read with sub-rule (1) of rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh on the recommendation of the High Court of Andhra Pradesh hereby impose the penalty of "Dismissal from Service" on Sri G.Surya Prakash Rao, formerly Principal Junior Civil Judge, Bobbili, Vizianagaram District, with immediate effect.

**A.SHANKAR NARAYANA,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS & JUSTICE.**

To

The Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of A.P., Hyderabad.

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The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Hyderabad.

The District Treasury Officer, Vizianagaram District.

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The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Chief Minister.

The P.S. to Minister (Law & Courts).

The P.S. to Secretary (LA&J) Department.

The Law (E) Department.

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SECTION OFFICER.